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Applicants: Tatarka, et al.  
Appl. No.: 09/611,192  
Filed: July 6, 2000  
For: Ionomeric, Puncture Resistant,  
Thermoplastic Patch Bag, Film, Blend  
and Process

**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**  
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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

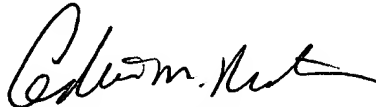
1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of three (3) months to respond to the Official Action dated December 19, 2001.
2. An Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested is filed herewith.
3. Applicant is  
☐ Small entity  
☒ Large entity
4. The requested extension and appropriate large entity fee are as follows  
37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1) – (a)(5):

<u>Total Month(s) Requested</u>	<u>Fee For Large Entity</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> One Month	\$ 110.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Two Months	\$ 400.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three Months	\$ 920.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Four Months	\$1,440.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Five Months*	\$1,960.00

\* Cannot be used to exceed six-month statutory  
limit for response to an Official Action

5. ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
6. ☒ Please charge **Deposit Account No. 502023** in the amount of \$ **930.00**.
7. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 502023.
- ☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.
- ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.
8. I am the ☐ applicant/inventor  
☐ assignee of record of the entire interest  
☐ attorney or agent of record  
☒ attorney or agent under 37 C.F.R. 1.34(a).  
☐ Associate Power of Attorney is attached

Respectfully submitted,



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